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IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A long-term general-purpose water repellant for concrete, mortar, stone and wood, comprising ~~an emulsion of a liquid~~ zirconium oxide, a liquid paraffin, and ~~an emulsion of liquid~~ polyvinyl acetate resin, mixed sequentially at a ratio of substantially 1 part by weight of said ~~emulsion of liquid~~ zirconium oxide, 4 parts by weight of said liquid paraffin and 1 part by weight ~~emulsion of said liquid~~ polyvinyl acetate resin.

Claim 2 (previously presented): The long-term general-purpose water repellant for concrete, mortar, stone and wood according to claim 1, wherein the repellant when subjected to fluorescent X-ray analysis in a state dried and then calcined, is found to contain at least 0.005-0.030 wt % of sodium, 0.003-0.015 wt % of aluminum, 0.001-0.010 wt % of phosphorus, 0.01-0.10 wt % of sulfur, and 0.20-0.80 wt % of potassium.

Claim 3 (previously presented): The long-term general-purpose water repellant for concrete, mortar, stone and wood according to claim 2, which further comprises 0.001 to 0.002 wt % of magnesium, silicon, chlorine, calcium, iron, zinc, and rubidium.